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MANCHESTER BEFORE STATEHOOD: THE CARR LEDGER BOOK

By Don Callard

In 1833 William S. and Elijah B. Carr, of New Lebanon, New York, settled on the River Raisin in Washtenaw County. Bringing goods and supplies, they opened the first store in the village of Manchester. William began a ledger book in June, recording his customers' debits and credits. Food, whiskey, clothing, hardware and lumber were listed. He was only 25 then, two years older than Elijah.

A year later the Carrs gave up the store to become farmers and civic men. William, a Whig, represented his district in the 1840 State Legislature. By 1850, when he attended the state constitutional convention, he was a Democrat. At various times he was township supervisor, alderman, and justice of the peace. Elijah was one of Bridgewater Township's Directors of the Poor in 1834, and one of its School Inspectors later. He was Treasurer of Manchester Village and Township in the 1860s and 1870s.

The ledger book sporadically received entries for the next thirty years when, about halfway through, it became Manchester's financial register. Tax lists and records of street-work expenses filled the rest of the volume.

The book's leather is now crumbling, and some of its pages are gone. It was recently given to the Library of Michigan by Mrs. Betty Demarest of Belding, and will probably be housed in the Michigan State Archives.

Credit customers of the Carrs pioneered the Manchester area. Because of the scarcity of primary documentation showing residence there prior to Michigan's statehood, the following list of those who dealt with the Carrs in 1833 and 1834 is extracted from the ledger and presented here. Spellings have not been corrected or modernized.

Ledger Page	Name	Ledger Page	Name
1,95	John Gilbert	40	William Gere
2	Henry H. Gilbert	40	Wm. Stowel
11	Elijah G. Carr	43	Ebenezer Bickford
12	Alanzo Platt	43	Clarkson, chair maker
13,93	Anson D. Lamatter	44	Benjamin Schlocum
14	Henry Annibal	45	James W. Tyler
29	David Fitzgerald	46	Isaac Lamb
29	Brotherson & Duff	47	R. D. Hecock
30	R. L. Fellows (1833?)	48	James Soules, Jr.
31	Sidney Dewey	49	John Cobb
32,85,99	Thos. Mead	50	James Stevens
35	Wm. Leap	51	Abraham VanBrale
36	B. R. Walworth	52	Elijah Burgess
37	William Hunter, Jr.	53	Christian Nestle
38	Abraham Self	54	Daniel Cross
39	William A. Tichanor	59	Barnibas Case
39	Joseph Burgess	60	James Sowles
39	Jacob Gilbert	61	William Tague

Ledger page	Name	Ledger page	Name
62	Sarah Porter	82	James Ash
65	John Nealey	83	John Valentine
66	Samuel Lane	84	John Lockeby
67	Daniel Porter	86	John Atcheley
68	Isaac Hutchings	87	Mrs. VanBrunt
69	Sylvanus Goff	87	Emaline D. Lamatter
70	Joseph Noyes	87	David Moore
71	William Vanbrale	88	Watson Gillet
72,94	Emanuel Case	89	Lincoln Richmond
73	Abraham P. Lamatter	90	Sheldon Maththews
74,78	R. W. Douglass	91	Isaac Hickcox
75	Cornelius Slote	92	Nicholas Becker
76,96	David P. Gilbert	94	Tolman Case
77	P. W. North	95	Franklin Freeman
78	Alexandra Falconer	96	George Howe
79	Elias Derby	97	B. F. Root
80	William Douglass	98	Charles H. Chipman
81	Lyman Goff	100	Levi B. Pratt
81	Lewis Snyder		

Special leaves in the ledger were used as an alphabetical name index. Names indexed from now-missing early pages, to which no dates can be assigned, follow:

Missing Ledger Page	Name
3	Samuel Perkins
6	A. J. Walker
10	Cyrus McConnell
25	Prosper Wheeler
26	Pattison
34	Josiah Sabin
42	Anthony Yerkes
57	Abram Vanbrale

Note: Information about the Carrs was taken from: *History of Washtenaw County, Michigan* (Chicago: Chapman, 1881) and Stephen D. Bingham, *Early History of Michigan* (Lansing: Thorp & Godfrey, 1888).

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TRUSTEES OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF NORTHFIELD, 1847

I, James Shaw, Presiding Elder of the Ann Arbor District Michigan Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, have appointed the following trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Northfield: G. Leland, Horace Coy, Nelson Brundage, Salter Mason, Orison Leland. Witnesses George Sutton, Nathan Tubbs, 3 July 1845. Recorded 27 April 1847.

Washtenaw County Miscellaneous Records, 1838-1893, p. 67.

PIONEERS IN MICHIGAN TERRITORY

The 150th anniversary of Michigan's statehood has inspired the creation of many commemorations and celebrations and one of these is the Michigan Sesquicentennial Pioneer Certificate Project sponsored by the Michigan Genealogical Council and the Library of Michigan. To qualify for a certificate the applicant must prove direct descent from a settler living in Michigan Territory by 31 December 1837. The application with copies of the records of proof, such as land, church, census, death and other primary records, must be submitted no later than 31 December 1987. The Library of Michigan will keep all data for use by future researchers and possible publication at a future date.

The Sesquicentennial Project has generated a great deal of enthusiasm among area genealogists, and several GSWC members have already received certificates.
Family History Capers would like to publish short articles written by our members about the lives of their Sesquicentennial Pioneer ancestors, and the following are the first. We invite other Sesquicentennial Certificate recipients to share the pride felt in their pioneer ancestors by submitting their stories for publication.

JACOB AND MARY KERN, MICHIGAN PIONEERS

Born 21 May 1805 to Adam and Margaretha (MOSZLER) KERN in Buechingen, District of Landau, Rhein County, Germany, George Jacob Kern, brandymaker, was granted a passport on 29 June 1831 "to travel via Paris to Havre de Grace and on to North America to seek employment in his profession." On which ship he traversed the Atlantic and where he may have resided before arriving in Detroit are not known, but an 1835 U.S. Government Land Patent, by which he acquired 80 acres in Eron Township, Macomb County, states that he had lived in Erie County, Pennsylvania. On 3 January 1837 , George and Mary Ann LONG/LANG, born in France to William and Catharine SCHMIDT, were married in Detroit by Justice of the Peace John W. Strong. (Mary Ann had assumed her stepfather's surname after her natural father died and her mother married Joseph John LANG.) The newly-married Kerns took up residence near what is now the intersection of Gratiot Avenue and Ten Mile Road (formerly Kern Road) in East Detroit. There they raised seven sons, George, John Paul, Anthony J., Adam, Joseph, Jacob Phillip, and William and one daughter, Elizabeth. George Jacob Kern died 2 May 1857. Mary Ann lived until 1892.

In the early 1860s, their second son, John Paul Kern, moved to Marquette, Michigan, where he became Superintendent of the City Water Department. After his first wife, Mary Caroline ISLER, died in 1876, John, in 1882, married Margaret NICHOLLS, born in Walsall, England, 4 March 1852 to Richard and Jane (SLY) Nicholls. John and Margaret had three daughters, Mary Jane, Margaret, and Mary Ann. The second daughter, Margaret, born 14 January 1889, married George Henry NELSON, born 11 January 1888 to Johannes and Anna Louisa (JOHANNESDOTTER) NILSSON. George and Margaret had four sons, Bruce Kern, George Henry, Robert LeRoy, and Lee Kern and two daughters, Helen Elizabeth and Mary Elizabeth.

Although most of George Jacob and Mary Ann Kern's descendants live in Michigan, many are in other states, especially Arizona, California, Kentucky, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Nebraska, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Wisconsin.

Contributed by Bruce K. Nelson

JOHN MINZEY, AUGUSTA TOWNSHIP PIONEER

John MINZEY was the son of Duncan and Jeanette Minzey who came to the United States from Scotland in 1798. They had emigrated from Weem, Scotland, where the Menzie's castle still stands on the banks of the River Tay and settled in Montgomery County, New York. John is reported in the U.S. census to have been born both on board ship and in the United States. On March 22, 1820, John married Phoebe AVERY and twelve children were born to them, eight of whom survived infancy: William, Duncan, Andrew B., Redner, Allen, Martha J., Phoebe A. and Jeanette. John moved to Michigan 1 May 1833, and settled on 80 acres in Sections 7 and 8 in Augusta Township. He was one of the original organizers of Augusta Township and assisted in the building of the first school house.

John's son, William, was born in New York in 1820. He held land in Section 18 of Augusta Township and married Maria ROBBINS, whose family owned an adjacent farm in the same section. They had four children: John, Elmina, Anna, Andrew. Sometime prior to 1880 they moved to Barry County, Michigan.

John Minzey, William's son, married Fanny SUTTON, daughter of Clark and Elizabeth Sutton. They had seven children: Glen, Julia, Claude, John J., Gary, Mina, and Delmer. John J. married Floy STIMSON, daughter of Bertha and Edgar Stimson, in 1918, and they settled in Flint, Michigan. He served in France in World War I. John returned to Ypsilanti in 1943, not realizing his family had been pioneers only a few miles away in Augusta Township.

Contributed by Jack Minzey

THE STIMSON FAMILY OF GENESEE COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Two brothers, Jeptha and Thomas STIMSON, came to Michigan from New York in 1836. Although they were the first of the family in Michigan, they were actually the fourth generation of the family in America. Their great-grandfather, George, had arrived in America from Scotland in 1641 and had settled in Chebacco (later Ipswich), Massachusetts. Both Jeptha and Tom bought farms in Genesee County and Jeptha's nine-year old son, Ralph, was sent to live with a farmer in Franklin Village near Detroit. Ralph later moved to Genesee County and worked on a farm where the current court house stands. In 1849, he bought 80 acres of land from the government for $4.00 an acre. It was in that year that he married Eunice ROGERS, a school teacher. They were married by Justice of the Peace Josiah Begole and their marriage certificate was only a written statement on a piece of paper. Later, when Mr. Begole became governor of Michigan, he presented them with a regular wedding certificate.

Ralph had seven children: Alcy, Mirina, Alphonso, Hamilton, Cornelia, Edgar and Susie. Edgar married Bertha AVERILL, and their children were Ralph, Lois, Floy, Doris, Averill, Merrill, Marie, Marjory, Madeline, Genevieve and Max.

Contributed by Jack Minzey

NICHOLAS GROVES, NORTHFIELD TOWNSHIP PIONEER

Nicholas[6] GROVES came to Michigan from Massachusetts with his second wife and four children in the fall of 1831. He was the sixth generation to live in the United States and the fourth to have that name. Nicholas[1] La Groves had come from France in 1671 to Beverly, Massachusetts. His wife was Hannah SALLOWS. Their son, Peter[2] (who changed the name to Groves), born 14 September 1679, married Hannah WINTER and had a son, Nicholas[3], born 1 January 1703/4, who married Hannah CORNING. They had a son Nicholas[4], born 16 March 1726, who married Mary HUBBARD. Their son Jesse[5], born 7 October 1757, married Martha PARLEY and they were the parents of Nicholas[6].

Nicholas[6], was born 22 February 1788 in Vermont, and went to East Charleston, Massachusetts, with his parents in 1796. At the age of twenty he joined a whaling expedition from New York to the Pacific Ocean and was gone four years. On the return trip at Jamaica the ship was condemned as not being seaworthy and difficulty arose between the captain and the crew. At midnight Mr. Groves and a comrade smuggled two barrels of oil on a Spanish vessel and sailed to Nantucket. There he worked as a tailor and earned money for his passage back to New York City before returning to East Charleston. He married 16 May 1816, Roxanna STEARNS who died 8 December 1824 in childbirth after having four children: Lois Ann, William Parley, Martha and Roxa. He married (2) Clarinda HOLBROOK in 1825. They had one child, Harriet, born in East Charleston, and one, Cordelia, after coming to Michigan. They settled in Northfield Township, Washtenaw County, after purchasing 160 acres in Sections 26 and 27 for 10 shillings an acre from the U.S. government, and were present when the township was organized in 1832. His daughter Martha did not come to Michigan. He died 4 March 1866 and was buried in Leland Cemetery. His daughter, Roxa, who died at age 16, 2 June 1841, was one of the first to be buried there.

William Parley[7], Nicholas'son, born 12 November 1819, was drafted in the militia for the Toledo War. He was appointed postmaster at Lucerne post office which was established on the Groves' farm from 10 May 1837 until it was discontinued 6 July 1853. He was a very successful farmer, prominent in the organizations in the township, and had the vault installed at Leland Cemetery. William was well known in Ann Arbor where he held large real estate interests downtown. He married 2 October 1851, Harriet FITZSIMMONS, daughter of Thomas and Eliza (WATROUS) Fitzsimmons, born 7 February 1830. They had seven children: Roxa, Albert, Flora, Elizabeth (Eliza), Harriet, Edwin and Fanny. She died 11 January 1872 and he died 25 February 1899. Both are buried in Leland Cemetery.

Roxa[8] Groves, born 22 June 1852, married 1 January 1873, Myron Francis BAILEY, born 14 November 1849, the first of eight children of Isaac and Fannie (PARKER) Bailey. He was born in Somerset Township, Niagara County, New York, and came to Michigan with his parents who settled in Northfield Township in 1866. Myron and Roxa settled on a farm in Salem Township, Washtenaw County, not far from his father and the Groves' homestead. They moved to Ann Arbor in 1913. They had seven children: Fanny (Frances), Lillian, Claude, Clayton, Ward, who drowned in Whitmore Lake as a youth, Ben and Wilber. Roxa died 24 April 1915 in Ann Arbor and Myron later married Mrs. Elvina CADWELL. He died 9 May 1934. The Groves, Fitzsimmons and Bailey homesteads are still standing.

Wilber[9] Bailey, born 6 July 1892 in Salem Township, married 22 August 1916 Evelyn PARTRIDGE, born 15 October 1894, daughter of Dr. Barton Scott and Ella C. (HARRIS) Partridge of East Bloomfield, New York. He was a dentist in East Lansing and had three children: Ruth, Jeanne and Richard.

Most of the early descendants of Nicholas Groves lived and died in Washtenaw County. The later descendants have lived mostly in Michigan, but some in Indiana, Ohio, California, Connecticut, Kansas, Texas, Wisconsin, Germany, Netherlands, Mexico and Africa.

Contributed by Jeanne Bailey Ransom

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MORTALITY SCHEDULE, FEDERAL CENSUS OF MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP,
WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN, 1850

	Name	Age/Sex/St.	Pl.B./Occ.	Death Date/Cause	Dur.
1.	Harriet French	12 F -	MI -	Oct Cong. Brain	4d.
2.	Huey S. Holloway	1/12 M -	MI -	Apr Lung Fever	1d.
3.	Lucinda Root	76 F (w)	CT -	Oct Consumption	30d.
4.	Zenas Root	50 M (m)	NY Farmer	Mar Consumption	6d.
5.	Bethsheboth Hay	68 F (m)	NY -	Oct Unknown	10d.
7.	Hannah Shultz	1/12 F -	MI -	Aug Unknown	1d.
8.	Elizabeth Chatron	9 F -	NY -	May Fever	12d.
9.	Ransom Dodge	14 M -	NY -	Sep Lung Complaint	1d.
10.	Frederick Dodge	1 M -	MI -	Oct Croup	6d.
11.	William Corby	5 M -	MI -	Aug Unknown	2d.
12.	Nancy Corby	3 F -	MI -	Aug Unknown	3d.
13.	Betsy May	50 F (m)	NY -	Apr Old Age	6d.
14.	Emily Baldwin	12 F -	MI -	Apr Unknown	2d.
15.	Francis Elmer	7/12 M -	MI -	Jan Dropsy	4d.
16.	George Hurlbut	2 M -	MI -	Sep Croup	2d.
17.	Frances Granger	10/12 F -	MI -	Mar Infl. Lungs	18d.
18.	Mary J. Bessack	6/12 F -	MI -	Feb Croup	3d.
19.	Edgar Root	16 M -	NY Clerk	Apr Cong. Brain	4d.
20.	Emily Root	2 F -	MI -	May Fever	10d.

Abbreviations:
St. = Marital Status; Dur. = Duration of last illness

STATE OF MICHIGAN 1845 CENSUS FOR MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP, WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Copied by N. H. Krohn

The original State Census of 1845 for Washtenaw County is held in the Michigan Historical Collections, Bentley Historical Library, The University of Michigan. This census was to have been taken between the first Monday of September and the first Monday of November 1845 with the returns due on the fifteenth of November. The extant portion of the Washtenaw County census, not dated, names only white males over twenty-one years of age. Several names on the first manuscript page are partially obliterated. Names followed by an asterisk are either difficult to read or suspected of being in uncommon error.

A transcribed list in the original order is available in the files at the GSWC library.

The surnames following these given names are obliterated by an ink blot: B. C., Charles, Elish, Noah.

A. ADAMS, Levi; ALDERMAN, William; ALVORD, Obid; ANDREWS, William.

B. BABCOCK, James; BALDWIN, Asahel, Francis, Russell, Samuel, William; BARKER, George, Jesse A.; BATNIER *, William; BAXTER, William; BECKLEY, Isaac; BENEDICT, L. R.; BENERWAY *, Garry; BESSAC, William H.; BIGELOW, S. F.; BIRCH, Merrick; BIVENS, Moses; BLACMER, Asa; BLANCHARD, D.; BLISS, Freeman; BONNELL, B. W., David P., J. W.; BOWER, H.; BRADLEY, Adad, John, William; BRANGWIN, William; BRIGHT, Thomas; BROTHERSON, P. C. H.; BROWER, Nathaniel; BROWN, Uriah, William; BUGBY, S. M.; BURGESS, Joseph; BUTLER, Edward.

C. CALKINS, W. H.; CARDWELL *, William; CARPENTER, Morgan; CARR, Caleb, E. G., W. S.; CARTER, Chandler, Peter; CASE, A. W., Alanson, Arthur, Barnabus, Benjamin, Norman (2), Walter; CHADWICK, Luther; CLARK, Charles, J. S., Noah, Orrin, Otis, Philip; CLARKSON, John; CLEAVLAND, William; COCKRANE, William; COLE, L. B.; COOL, James; COON, Phil...; CORBY, Merritt; COREY, Jeramiah D.; CORNING, Alex B., Alexander; CRANE, J. B., Peter; CROSS, Daniel, Gilber, James; CURRY, John; CURTIS, Orvill; CUSHMAN, Edward.

D. DAVIDSON, Ebenezer; DELLAMATTER *, Parmiter; DENMAN, Joseph; DENNIE *, Amos; DODGE, Abner, Hiram; DOREY *, David; DORR, S. F., William; DOTY, Samuel; DUDLEY, Belah; DUGLEY *, Eben.

E. EASTON, Enos; ELLIOT, Heming; ELLIS, A. C.; ENGLISH, see INGLISH; ENGLISH, John J., Peter (2), Robert; ESHBAUCH, Joseph; EWING, Alexander.

F. FARGO, Alonzo; FARNSWORTH, Philip; FAULKER *, John; FEATHERSTON, Francis; FEATHERSTONE, George; FISK, John; FITZGERALD, see GERALDS; FITZGERRALD, Benj., Daniel, Harrison, N.; FORCE, Ephraim, Francis; FOSTER, S. W.; FOUNTAIN, J. H.; FRANCISCO, Robert; FREEMAN, Franklin, Ichobed, Thomas; FRENCH, Benjamin.

G. GALLOP, Joseph; GERALDS *, Stewart; GERAU *, Solomon; GILBERT, D. P., Horace; GOFF, Lyman; GRAHAM, Hugh, John; GRANGER, Moses, Newman; GRAVES, Morris; GREEN, Reynold, Thomas.

H. HALL, Richard; HARRISON, S. B.; HARVEY, Thomas, William; HAVENS, Thomas, HAY, Alexander, Henry; HEATH, Selustus; HENDERSHOT, Isaac, James; HOLLOWAY, George; HOLMES, J. R.; HOOPER, Joseph, Samuel; HOWARD, Marvin; HOWE, George; HOXEY, Warren; HUDSON, James; HUNT, Cyrus, Daniel; HUTCHINSON, Silas.

I. IDE, John; INGLISH *, Richard, INGRAHAM, T. S.

J. JESTER, Jacob.

K. KEIF, Abner, KELLEY, James; KELLOGG, S. B.; KEMPT, John; KEYES, John; KIEF, Jacob, John D.; KIMPELL *, Thomas.

L. LAKE, Roswell; LANE, G. W.; LEAP, William; LEE, John; LOCKERBY, see LOCKOBY; LOCKOBY *, Nelson; LOUKES, Jeramiah; LUCE, Henry; LYON, A. S., C. T.

M. MAGDIN, ..., Mr.; MARTIN, Samuel; McCOLLUM, Alexander; McCONNELL, Cyrus; McMAHON, Joseph; MERRIMAN, Benoniah, George; MERRITHEW, John; MILLS, D. A., Edward; MINER, Louron; MIRES *, A. E.; MOORE, ...; MORGAN, Thomas; MOSELEY, John; MYERS, see MIRES.

N. NEASS *, Thomas; NELSON, John; NESTLE, Joeph *, John; NICHOLS, Oliver; NIND *, Seth; NOISE *, Josep, Lorenzo, Seely, Warren; NORRIS, J. W.; NORTON, J. A.; NOWLAN, James; NOYES, see NOISE.

O. OCKROW, Henry.

P. PALMER, ..., Shumway N.; PARSONS, J. S.; PATTISON, Daniel; PEASE, Warren; PERKINS, S. H.; PERSONS, Moses (2), POWELL, Thomas; PR..., Almond; PRATT, Almon, Asa, Benjamin, Levi B.; PRINDLEY, Eben; PROUT, Mathew, Silas.

R. RABY, Aaron, Samuel, Thomas; REED, J. J.; RENYOLDS, Sydney; REYNOLDS, see RENYOLDS; RHOADS, John; RICE, C. J.; RICHARDS, John; ROCKWAY *, Seth; ROOT, ..., George, Zenas; RULL, David.

S. SAFFORD *, Zachariah; SATTLER, Ezra; SEYMOUR, John; SLOCUM, Orvell; SMALLEY, John; SMITH, Frederick, J. L.; SPAFFORD, John; SPENCER, Joseph, Simeon; SPERRY, William; SPRAGUE, Sidney; SQUIER, James; SQUIRE, A. H.; ST. JOHN, J. C.; STEVENS, James, Luman, Theodore, Walter; STITTS *, Robert, William; STOCKING, Timothy; STOKES, Henry, Thomas; STOWELL, William; STRINGMAN *, Edward, William; SURDAM, John, Trobridge.

T. TALLMAN, James; TAYLOR, Thomas (2), THOMAS, C. B., Lyman; TICKNOR, W. A.; TINKER *, Martin, TO..., Moses; TOWNSEND, Calvin, H. M.; TUTTLE, George.

V. VALENTINE, Frederick; VAN DYNE, John; VAN SICKLE, R.; VAN WINKLE, Peter; VANDERWAKER, Nicholas; VANTYLE, Adam.

W. WAGNER, Joseph; WAIER, James; WALTER, Jacob; WEBBER, William; WEIR, see

WAIER; WELLEST *, G.; WELLS, Samuel; WHEELER, Ezra, H. N., J. P., Jedediah, Obadiah; WILCOX, J. S., James, John, William; WILLIAMS, Jacob, John; WILSON, S.; WISNER, William; WITHERELL, Peleg; WOLCOT, Almond, Charles; WOLWORTH, B. R., J. H., James; WOOD, Whiting; WOODWORTH, Enos; WOOSTER, D. W.; WORDEN, Albert, George, Timothy.

POPULATION TOTALS

AGE:	under 10	10-21	21-45	45-72	72+	Total
MALES:	194	146	253	59	2	655
FEMALES:	207	141	229	38	2	617

Total white inhabitants	1272
Colored Males	2
Colored Females	5
Total inhabitants	1279
Total white males over 21	316

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STRAYS

Manchester Enterprise, Manchester, Michigan

30 June 1887. Mr. & Mrs. Sam Remington [Maria Green] started for their new home in Wahpeton, Dakota, on Friday.

4 August 1887. Mr. & Mrs. John Bohnet, of Leroy, Ingham county, came here Saturday in response to a message announcing the death of Mrs. B's mother.

Mrs. John Grossman died age 78 on Friday.

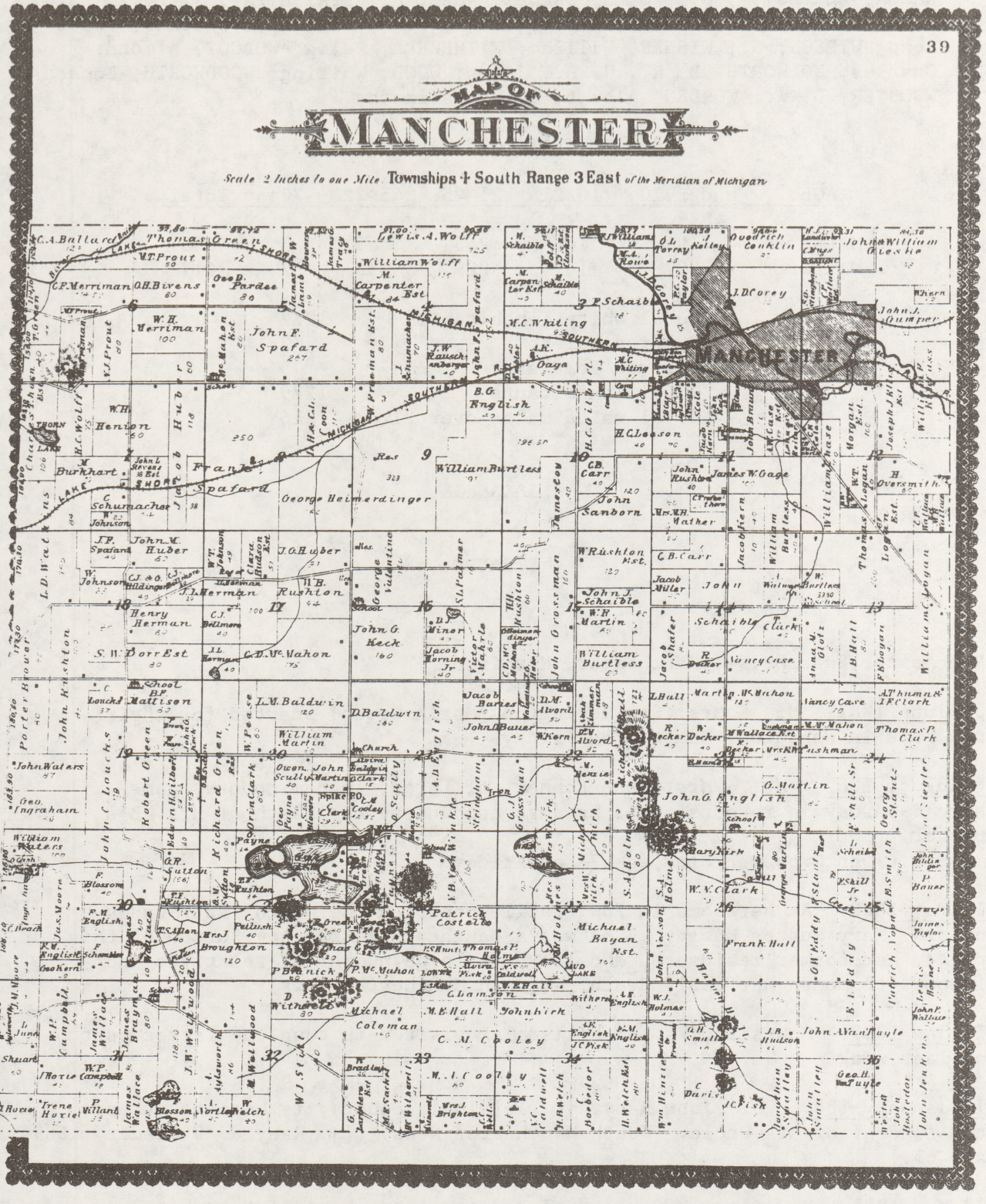
17 May 1888. At her home in Fowlerville occurred the death last Sunday of Mrs. Mary Sutton Hawley. She was a daughter of Mrs. Any Sutton of this place, her former residence, and leaves a large number of relatives and friends to mourn her early death. (South Manchester News)

10 Jan 1889. Moses Loucks, of Hillsdale, visited in town the latter part of last week.

17 January 1889. Mr. John Raby, jr., of Ionia county, is here to attend the funeral of his Uncle. (South Manchester News) [J. Raby d. 5 January 1889 age 65.]

23 May 1889. Mr. Patrick Scully, of Bad Axe, came here last week to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, Mr. Michael Egan.

30 January 1890. Mr. & Mrs. John Scully left here Monday for their new home in East Saginaw. (South Manchester News)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MANCHESTER
MICHIGAN SOUTHERN
LAKE SHORE
Wm. Wolff
M. Carpenter Est.
M.C. Whiting
Oaga
B.G. English
William Burtless
George Heimerdinger
John F. Spafard
Jacob Spafard
John G. Keck
D. Minor
Jacob Horning Jr.
C.D. McMahon
L.M. Baldwin
D. Baldwin
William Martin
Owen, John Scully
Martin Clark
Spike Eark
Patrick Costello
Michael Bayan Est.
Frank Hall
Michael Coleman
C.M. Cooley
W.J. Stokl
Henry Herman
S.H. Borr Est.
Jacob Baries
John D. Bauer
John G. English
Mary Kirk
W.V. Clark
Thomas P. Clark
Nancy Case
Schaible Clark
William Burtless
John Sanborn
James W. Gage
H.C. Closson
C.B. Carr
Jacob Miller
John J. Schaible
W.F. Martin
W. Rushton Est.
Jacob Shafer
R. Decker
J.D. Corey
Oliver Conklin
John William Gleeshie
John J. Gumper
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Thomas Keegan
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Dorcas Est.
Oversmith
Porter Bower
John Rushton
L.D. Watkins
Richard Green
Hobart Green
John C. Loucks
John Waters
Geo. Ingraham
William Waters
Edwin Holbert
Jas. Moore
Geo. Kern
Michael Kirk
S.A. Holmes
G.J. Grossman
John Grossman
Jacob Horning
Victor Hill
Rushton
Clara Hudson Est.
Lonck's
Mattison
Pease
Stringham
Iron
Payne
Sutton
Broughton
Pellish
Chas. Green
Wm. Green
Wm. Wood
Withered
Michael Coleman
M.E. Hall
John Kirk
Claimson
Wm. Holmes
Wm. Caldwell
Hoobler
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John A. Van Tuyle
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River Raisin

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SCHOOL TEACHERS IN MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP, 1893

All the schools are now in progress for the spring term. The list of teachers is as follows: No. 3, Clara Bush, of Clinton; No. 5, Florence Merriman; No. 6, Emma Kofberger; No. 7, Otilla Becker, of Bridgewater; No. 8, Ida Pillbeam, of Tecumseh; No. 9, Kittie VanTuyle; No. 2, fract., Jennie Beck, of Clinton; No. 4, fract., Nettie Rowe, of Sharon.

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SOME WASHTENAW COUNTY OBITUARIES IN *DER CHRISTLICHE BOTSCHAFTER*, 1847-1899

Contributed by David Koss *

Der Christliche Botschafter (The Christian Messenger) was the German language paper of the Evangelical Association, later merged into the Evangelical United Brethren Church and now into the United Methodist Church. Founded in 1836 in New Berlin, Pennsylvania, and moved to Cleveland, Ohio, in 1854, the religious paper was directed to the entire denomination which consisted of the Pennsylvania Dutch wherever they had settled and nineteenth century immigrant Germans who were sympathetic to what is called Pietism or what Americans call revivalism. (Therefore note the references to conversion - not conversion from one faith or denomination to another, but the "New Birth" or being "Born Again.")

In 1967 Mrs. A. R. Seder of Naperville, Illinois, published an *Index To The Subject Of Obituaries...From Der Christliche Botschafter Of The Evangelical Church, 1836-1866* (really only through 1865). The work is not widely available and cannot be purchased.

Some abstracts of *CB* obituaries referring to Washtenaw County appear below. (Incidentally, the county is often spelled "Waschtenau" or "Waschtena" in the German text.) Those before 1866 should appear in the Seder work. I have perused the volumes of newspapers through 1899 (United Methodist Historical Society Library, Baldwin-Wallace College, Berea, Ohio, and United Library, Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois), but there may be obituaries that have been missed. The date of the issue is in parentheses.

ALLMENDENGER, Daniel F., d. 2 Dec. 1864 Ann Arbor, Mich., age 44 y., 6 m.; survived by wife and 8 children. The *Christliche Apologete* was asked to copy - the German Methodist paper. (6 Jan. 1865)

ALLMENDINGER, Eva Magdalena, d. 10 Sept. 1848 Ann Arbor, Mich., 24 years old; dau. of G. D. Allmendinger; migrated from Wuertemberg 4 years before. (15 Nov. 1848)

BERTKE, Bernard, d. 15 Jan. 1847 Washtenaw Co., Mich., age 72. (1 April 1847)

BERTKE, Bernhart, d. 27 Sept. 1846 Washtenaw Co., Mich., age 10, son of Bernhart and Margaretha Bertke. (1 Feb. 1847)

BERTKE, Bernhart, d. 29 Sept. 1855 Lake Pleasant, Washtenaw Co., Mich., age 51; class leader, survived by wife and 3 children. (21 Nov. 1855)

BERTKE, "Mother," nee Landwehr, d. 23 July 1890; b. in Holland; married Bernhart Bertke; 1837 to America; settled Freedom, Washtenaw Co., Mich.; mother of 4 children; husband and 2 children died previously; converted 35 or 36 years ago; survived by 2 children, 2 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren; 80 y., 1 m., 13 d. (11 Aug. 1890)

DRESSELHAUS, Ada Kora, little dau. of Lambert and Mary Dresselhaus, d. 8 May 1889 Sharon, Washtenaw Co., Mich. of whooping cough and malaria fever. (20 May 1889)

DRESSELHAUS, Lambert, d. 17 May 1888 Freedom, Washtenaw Co., Mich.; b. Schaln (*sic*), Muenster, Prussia; ill 2 years; wife and 2 children died previously; survived by 8 children, 1 brother and 1 sister; 62 y., 9 m., 22 d. (28 May 1888)

FROEHN, Michael, d. 30 Jan. 1851 Washtenaw Co., Mich., 76 y., 4 m.; formerly of
Penn. where converted; 42 years member of Evangelical Association. (15 April 1851)

GIESKE, Anna Adelheid, nee List, felt unwell 28 Feb. 1892 and died 4 days later at Sharon, Mich. (= 3 March); 57 y., 3 m., 9 d.; b. 23 Nov. 1834 Schale, Prussia; came to America as small child with parents; married 1858, mother of 9 children of whom 2 died previously; converted 1874 under Brother Weiss; survived by husband, 7 children and 6 siblings among whom are Mrs. J. M. Haug and Mrs. J. M. Fuchs (wives of ministers). (21 March 1892)

GIESKE, Elsebina, nee Gerling, d. 14 May 1898 Sharon, Washtenaw Co., Mich., of heart ailment; b. 11 Oct. 1822 Schale, Kr. Tecklenburg; married 1847 Gerhard H. Gieske, had 9 children of whom 6 died previously; 1869 to America with family, settled Sharon; converted under E. Weiss; survived by husband, 1 son, 2 daughters, and 1 sister. (6 June 1898)

GIESKE, Emma A., dau. of Georg Gieske, d. 20 Oct. 1894 Sharon, Mich., of inflammation of abdomen; 13 years old; survived by parents and 3 siblings. (19 Nov. 1894)

GIESKE, Heinrich, d. 6 Nov. 1883 near Manchester, Mich., of "Zehrung" (probably consumption); b. Schale, Prussia, 6 Aug. 1860; son of Gerhard and Ensebein (*sic*) Gieske; survived by parents, 1 brother, 2 sisters. (26 Nov. 1883)

GIESKE, Hermann H., d. 20 July 1887 near Manchester, Mich., of inflammation of the brain; 63 y., 6 m., 23 d.: b. Schale, Prussia; to America 1854; converted same year; first wife, Katharina Schlicht; survived by 2nd. wife, 6 sons, 1 daughter, 4 brothers, 3 sisters. (6 Aug. 1887)

HESELSCHWERDT, Lydia, d. Sharon, Washtenaw Co., Mich., 9 Aug. 1898 of neuralgia of heart; b. there 9 Oct. 1873; lead music and song in church services; survived by mother, 8 brothers and 3 sisters; father died several years ago; *Christliche Apologete* asked to copy - the German Methodist paper. (29 Aug. 1898)

HILDEBRANDT, Heinrich, d. 17 Jan. 1891 Norvell, Mich.; b. Neuenkirchen, Prussia; to America 1848; married twice, by first wife had 2 children; married secondly in 1870, this wife survived; had 6 children by her of whom 1 died previously; converted 1870 by J. M. Haug; 68 y., 1 m., 29 d. (2 Feb. 1891)

HOLT, Friederike, nee Middendorf, d. Sharon, Mich. (date not given); b. 12 Jan. 1828 Schale, Mecklenburg (*sic*, Tecklenburg); married (1) D. Uphaus

and had 3 children, of whom husband and 1 son died previously; to America 1865 and there married (2) Mr. Holt who also died previously; had 2 children by him; converted 17 years ago; 71 y., 5 m., 7 d.; survived by 2 sons, 2 daughters, 6 step-children, 58 grandchildren. (31 July 1899)

HUEHL, Johann Gerhard, d. 29 Sept. 1882 Freedom, Washtenaw Co., Mich., of heart disease and dropsy; b. Schale, Prussia 20 Nov. 1813; married Margaretha Adelheit Dresselhaus, had 4 children of whom 3 children and wife died previously; survived by 1 son and 6 grandchildren; converted 30 years ago. (30 Oct. 1882)

HUEHL, Margaretha Adelheid, nee Dreselhaus, d. 16 May 1863 Freedom, Washtenaw Co., Mich., 59 y., 11 m.; wife of Johann Gerhard Huehl; survived by husband and 1 son; 3 children died previously. (30 May 1863)

HUSSMAN, Franklin H., d. 29 June 1880 Sharon, Washtenaw Co., Mich., from kick of horse, lived 24 hours; son of Heinrich and Adelheid Hussman; 16 y., 8 m., 21 d.; mother 3 years a widow. (26 July 1880)

KOEBBE, Emma Almeda, youngest dau. of J. Bernhardt and Anna Koebbe, d. 27 July 1889, 6 months ill with consumption; 13 y., 11 m., 12 d.; survived by parents and 4 siblings. (12 Aug. 1889)

KOEBBE, Fanny Elsebein, nee Bolake, d. 24 Sept. 1881 Freedom, Washtenaw Co., Mich., of old age; b. Schale, Kr. Teklenburg, Westphalia; 83 y., 3 m.; to America 1846 as a widow with 5 children; already converted in Germany; survived by 2 sons, 21 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren; 1 son and 3 daughters died previously. (17 Oct. 1881)

KOEBBE, Friedricka, d. 6 Jan. 1854 Washtenaw Co., Mich.; 15 y., 10 m., 28 d. (8 March 1854)

KOEBBE, Johann Gerhardt, d. 17 Feb. 1886 Freedom, Washtenaw Co., Mich., of consumption; b. Schale, Kr. Deklenburg (*sic*), Prussia 24 Sept. 1823; to America with family 1846; survived by wife, eight children, 1 brother and 8 grandchildren; 2 children died previously. (8 March 1886)

KOEBBE, Johann Heinrich, d. 14 Aug. 1879 Freedom, Washtenaw Co., Mich., of kidney disease; 58 y., 5 m., 14 d.; b. Schale, Kreis Tecklenburg, Prussia; to America as youth with mother and siblings; some 30 years ago converted by Rev. Jakob Honecker; class leader and exhorter; left $100. to missions; married for 28 years to Maria Davider; survived by widow, mother, 2 brothers and 6 children; 1 child died previously. (3 Sept. 1879)

KOEBBE, Maria, nee Davidter, d. 14 Nov. 1892 Freedom, Mich., of stomach and heart disease; b. 5 Dec. 1824 Roedinghausen, Kreis Herford, Westphalen, Prussia; to America 1846 with her mother; married 1851 Johann Heinrich Koebbe, now dec.; made home in Freedom, Mich.; had 7 children of whom 2 died previously; converted 1865 under Brother Doll; survived by 5 children and 2 grandchildren. (5 Dec. 1892)

KOEBBE, Maria Sophia, d. 24 Nov. 1886 Freedom, Washtenaw Co., Mich., of

consumption, suffered 8 months; dau. of Heinrich and Maria Koebbe; 26 y., 1 m., 5 d.; converted 10 years ago. (11 Dec. 1886)

KOEBBE, Melinda Ida, d. 3 Oct. 1892, dau. of Bernhard and Anna Koebbe, b. 25 Dec. 1870 Freedom, Mich.; survived by parents and 3 siblings. (24 Oct. 1892)

KOFFBERGER, Mathilde C., d. 11 Aug. 1889 Sharon, Washington Co.(*sic*), Mich., of consumption, ill 3 years; 29 y., 11 m., 2 d.; survived by 2 brothers and 4 sisters. (26 Aug. 1889)

KOPFBERGER, Maria Adelheit, nee Tresselhaus (*sic*), d. 10 Sept. 1885 Sharon, Washtenaw Co., Mich.; 51 y., 7 m., 25 d.; b. Schale, Prussia; widow 7 years, converted 5 years ago; had consumption 4 years; 4 children died previously; survived by 7 children, 2 brothers and 1 sister. (28 Sept. 1885)

KROENER, Elisabeth, nee Maeckstrad, d. 8 Feb. 1864 Freedom, Washtenaw Co., Mich.; 74 y., 3 m.; survived by 5 children, 1 child died long ago. (26 Feb. 1864)

LIST, Maria Adelheid, d. 13 Sept. 1881 Freedom, Washtenaw Co., Mich., of enlarged heart and old age; 77 y., 9 m., 25 d.; 7 years a widow; left $75. for missions; survived by 2 sons, 6 daughters of whom 2 daughters are married to preachers. (10 Oct. 1881)

MAYER, Heinrich, d. 11 Jan. 1850 Washtenaw Co., Mich.; 56 years old; came from Europe where converted; joined Evangelical Association several years ago; survived by widow and 2 children. (1 March 1850)

MEIER, Wilhelm, d. 25 Sept. 1880 Freedom, Washtenaw Co., Mich., suddenly of machine accident; 20 y., 9 m., 10 d.; survived by parents and siblings. (6 Dec. 1880)

RENAN (*sic*, RENAU), Catharine, nee Finke, d. 6 April 1898 Freedom, Washtenaw Co., Mich., 81 years old; b. Schale, Kreis Tecklenburg; converted in early youth; 2 days after her death on day of her burial, her husband Lambert Renan (*sic*) died. (See below.) (9 May 1898)

RENAN (*sic*, RENAU), Lambert, d. 8 April 1898 on day of his wife's burial (see above); b. same place as she; converted many years ago; 80 y., 7 m., 24 d.; they were survived by 4 sons and 4 daughters. (9 May 1898)

SCHLICHT, Georg Heinrich, d. 26 May 1888 Bridgewater, Washtenaw Co., Mich., of accident; he and his son on way to Manchester with load of planks and shingles; near his house the packed shingles on which he sat came loose and he fell from the wagon and was a corpse; 49 y., 4 m., 17 d.; survived by widow, 2 children, 4 brothers and 3 sisters. (11 June 1888)

SCHULTE, Anna Adelheid, nee Hussman, d. 30 Jan. 1891 Sharon, Mich., suddenly of a stroke; b. Schale, Prussia; to America 1849; married same year Johann Wilhelm Schulte; soon converted; ill 12 years, especially last 15 months; 65 y., 1 m., 28 d.; survived by 2 children; husband and 2 children died previously. (16 Feb. 1891)

SCHULTE, Anna Katharina Adelheid, d. 13 Dec. 1850 Washtenaw Co., Mich., of

erysipelas, suffered 16 days; 3 minutes before she died, she cried, "Jesus is my Jesus." 64 years old; wife of Johann W. Schulte. (15 Feb. 1851, correction in 15 April 1851)

SCHULTE, Johann W., d. 11 Feb. 1851 Washtenaw Co., Mich., of lung consumption from which he suffered greatly; during last illness cried: "The Lord Jesus is my Saviour, I fear not death." 60 y., 11 m.; six years ago joined Evangelical Association serving 2 years as class leader and 1 year as exhorter. (15 April 1851)

STUEWEN, Anna, nee Moellentin, d. 7 Feb. 1895 at home of daughter's husband, W. Bertke, in Sharon, Mich., ill six weeks; 82 y., 3 m., 21 d.; b. Schale, Kreis Tecklenburg, Prussia; husband died 23 years ago, married for 35 years; mother of 8 children, of whom only 2 survive plus 25 grandchildren; converted 56 years ago by Evangelical preacher near Milwaukee, Wis. (5 March 1895)

UPHAUS, Heinrich, d. 16 Sept. 1879 Washtenaw Co., Mich., of inflammation of the brain; 45 y., 2 m., 22 d.; b. Schale, Kreis Tecklenburg, Prussia; to America 1855; married 1862 Miss List; converted 5 years ago; Sunday school superintendent; survived by wife, 8 children, 6 brothers and 2 sisters; 2 children died previously. (15 Oct. 1879)

UPHAUS, Mathilda, d. 28 July 1889 Sharon, Washtenaw Co., Mich., of convulsions; little dau. of Friedrich and Anna Christina Uphaus. (12 Aug. 1889)

WAGNER, Carolina, nee Allmendinger, d. 14 Feb. 1847 Washtenaw Co., Mich.; 21 y., 8 m., 16 d.; wife of Casper Wagner, dau. of Daniel and Christina Allmendinger who came from Wuerttemberg 28 years ago. (1 April 1847)

WOLF, Margaretha, wife of Michael Wolf, d. 9 Aug. 1851 Washtenaw Co., Mich., of consumption; from Oberamt Stuttgart, Wuerttemberg; survived by husband and 4 children. (1 Oct. 1851)

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* Dr. David Koss, 114 Dundee Avenue, Barrington, Illinois 60010

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TRUSTEES OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF FREEDOM, 1851

Members of the Roman Catholic Religious Society have met to appoint trustees 21 December 1857...being in the North East corner of Section 22 of Town Three South Range Four East, Freedom, on one acre of land with the church on. Trustees appointed: Conrad Seckinger, Joseph Seckinger for one year; Joseph Preitz, Phillip Franz for two years; Adam Riddle for three years. Signed Phillip Franz, President, Adam Riddle, Secretary. Witness Jacob Breining, J. P. Recorded 21 December 1857.

Washtenaw County Miscellaneous Records, 1838-1893, p. 122.

NEW MEMBERS

The information below has been sent by new members. If an ancestor chart is returned at the same time only the ancestor charts will be published - look in the Ancestor Surname Index for other new members.

325. JANET M. SNYDER, 3416 W. Banner Rd., St. Johns, Michigan 48879 (Drake, Eldridge, Sturgis)

390. KAREN R. RAMOS, 32 E. Barrymore St., Stockton, California 95204-2113 (Canfield, Titus)

409. JAMES M. HERZBERG, 5663 Bernath Ct., Toledo, Ohio 43615 (Cook, Elliott, Speechly, Whitlark)

412 & 139. EDWARD A. & HELEN M. WESTEN, Rte 2, Box 127, Kewaunee, Wisconsin 54216 (Baldwin, Martin, Rogers)

423. GERTRUDE (ALBAN) VAIL, 9423 Rose Ave., Montclair, California 91763 (Alban, Mason)

429. BILL HOSMON, 2370 Twin Lakes Dr., Ypsilanti, Michigan 48197 (Greene, Hedges, Norman, Reid)

438. GINGER AUGUST, 32 Stetson Way, Princeton, New Jersey 08540 (Gear/e, Geer/e, Geers, Gere)

442 & 443. FLOYD H. & MARION F. HANSON, 23096 Melrose St., East Detroit, Michigan 48021 (Allen, McCue, Tate)

450. MARGUERITE W. ALEXANDER, 212 Pineridge Ave., Ann Arbor, Michigan 48103 (Alexander, Burlingame, Flack, Hall, Higgins, Hill, Stewart, Ticknor, Wallace, Wells, White, Wood)

451 & 452. WALLACE BAKER & LUCILLE (NEUBERT) BAKER, 46750 Michigan Ave., Canton, Michigan 48188 (Arnold, Baker, Beurlia, Little)

456. KATHLEEN (POLLOCK) McCURDY, 2760 Southwood Dr., E. Lansing, Michigan 48823 (Howell, Mapes, Steadman, Torrey)

463. EUNICE M. BRAKE, 1200 Earhart Rd., #511, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48105 (Brech, Cosens, Kraft, Wissner)

466. EVELYN ZINGULA, 1657 Falcon Rd., Marion, Iowa 52302 (Huff, Tillapaugh, Tuttle)

471. ARTHUR DAVIDGE, 4551 N. Maple Rd., Ann Arbor, Michigan 48105 (Bulmer, Davidge, Ward, Whittington)

476. ROXIE M. HOLLAND-MORITZ, 2920 Valley Dr., Ann Arbor, Michigan 48103 (Holland-Moritz, Mudgett, Snyder, Sutherland)

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IN MEMORIAM

MARY MAIER WERLE

6 January 1898 - 20 April 1987

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ANCESTOR SURNAME INDEX

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360. ROSALYN E. BREITENWISCHER: Benkendoerfer, Bippus, Blume, Breitenwischer, Burgbacher, Davidter, Esch, Fahley, Heumeier, Hohl, Ivengaertner, Koenig, Kraus, Krauss, Meier/Meyer, Nabaring, Seeger, Veit, vonder Haar. GER, IL, MI, OH, PRS.

362. KATHLEEN ANN (DESCHAINE) HORNING: Alberts, Bernier, Campbell, Curley, Deschaine/Deschenes, Fourten, Gallagher, Horning, Lagace, Mahen, McCauley, McGoff, Murphy, O'Loan/O'Lone, Polak, Resley, Steczek, Wojtytka. CA, CND, FRN, IL, IRL, MI, PLD.

385. MARK EDWARD HORNING: Brown, Burkhardt, Carstensen, Deschaine, Foulee, Froelich, Horning, Hutzel, Johannsen, Kliuk, Laubengayer, Magden, Marquardt, Purcell, Rauser, Rosa, Savage, Schumaker, Schuman, Sullivan, Walker. GER, HLD, IA, IL, MI, NE, NY.

391. MARIE MARTHA (FINKBEINER) OESCHGER: Finkbeiner, Locherin, Oeschger, Schultz, Seeger. GER, MI.

424. ROSEMARY (CONWAY) LAMBERT: Almay, Boughton/Bouton, Brayman, Cole, Conway, Crittenden, Doran, Finch, Lambert, Stowell, Thorn/Thorne, Warner. IRL, MI.

446. DANIEL JAMES BRAY: Bernardi, Bray, Christ, Hickey, Jungerheld, Kenna, Kennelly, O'Brien, Potter, Ritchey, Sager, Shanahan, Smythe. CND, FRN, GER, IL, IRL, MI, NY, PRS.

454. GRANT HAROLD YOUNG: Danks, Goll, Haefele, Hunter, Kinsey, Krausse, Lewis, Love, McClintock, Ruehle/Ruhle, Young, Zobel. CA, ENG, GER, MI, MO, NE, PA, wi.

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IN MEMORIAM

HAROLD A. JONES

15 March 1900 - 14 May 1987

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SOME NAMES FROM MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP 1844 POLL LIST

Listed below are some names from the record of 258 persons who voted in Manchester Township on the 4th and 5th of November, 1844, which do not appear in the 1845 township census. Other names have been selected which may represent the same person on the census but are included because of a different spelling or a full name. Names on the poll list which clearly represent a person appearing on the 1845 census have not been printed here. A complete transcription is available in the files of the GSWC Library. The original 1844 poll list may be found with other earlier township lists in the Michigan Historical Collections, Bentley Historical Library, The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

The * indicates voters who were sworn as to age, citizenship, or residence.

ALVORD, Erastus
BAILEY, Elisha
BATAM, William
BENEDICT, Lesley R.
BIGELOW, Gilbert
BIGELOW, Samuel F.
BIGELOW, William
BLACKNEY, Asa
BODINE, Russel
BOWER, Henry
BOWER, William *
BROWER, Henry, Jr.
BUNNELL, Barney W.
BUNNELL, David P.
BUNNELL, John W.
CAMFIELD, Russel
CARTER, Cyrus
CARTER, L. F.
CARTER, Orville
CASE, Abner
CASE, Sweet W.
CASE, Tallman
CHRISTLER, Martin
CLARK, Joseph S.
COLE, Levi
COON, Philetus
COWAN, John
COWIN, Greene
COWIN, J. M.
CRAFT, Vandoram
CROSS, Chauncy L.
DECKER, Samuel
DECKIN, Willit
DICKENSON, W.
DORR, Samuel W.
DORR, Solomon
DUDLEY, Eber
ENGLISH, John, Jr.
FENN, Daniel *
FINCH, Benjamin
FITZGERALD, David
FITZGERALD, Nathaniel
FITZGERALD, Stewart
FOSTER, Samuel W.
FOUNTAIN, Jabez H.
GILBERT, Harvey
GORTON, Giles *
GRAHAM, William
GRANGER, Luman
GRISWOLD, Oliver
HICKS, William *
HITCHCOCK, Jason
HOGLE, John
HOMES, Jonathan
HOOKER, Parker
HOOPER, John B.
HOY, George
ISBAUGH, Joseph
JUSTIN, Jacob G.
KENNEDY, John
KIEF, Archemus
KIEF, L. B.
KNOWLAND, James
LANE, George W.
LOOK, James F. *
LOUCKS, Moses
LYON, Abel S.
LYON, Cornelius T.
McMAHON, James
MILLS, Daniel A.
NEBLER, Havens
NORRIS, John W.
NOYES, Rawson
ORR, J. W. T.
PERKINS, Leroy
PRINDLE, Ebenezer
PURCHASE, Christopher
RICE, James C.
ROCKWELL, Seth
ROOT, Bennett F.
SATTERLEE, Nelson
SCLOCUM, Benjamin
SCLOCUM, E. G.
SCLOCUM, Orzello
SMITH, Charles W.
SMITH, Fred R.
SMITH, Horace
SMITH, Joshua L.
SOUTHARD, Thomas *
SPAFFORD, Thomas L.
SPENCER, S. R.
ST. JOHN, John C.
STRINGHAM, Alfred
THOMAS, Cyrus B.
TUTHILL, George
WALTERS, R. C. *
WALWORTH, B. R.
WALWORTH, Hiram
WEIR, James
WHEELER, Nelson
WHEELER, P. J.
WHEELER, Philander
WHEELER, William
WRIGHT, A. D.

FROM OUR READERS

HUGO KIRCHOFER, Manchester, Michigan and Hollywood, California

A review of the musical career of Hugo Kirchofer, "former Manchester boy," appeared in the 17 April 1919 issue of *The Manchester Enterprise* and was reprinted in the same paper 22 August 1985. [This newspaper frequently prints excerpts from earlier newspapers.] "Hugo is the highly successful director of music in the Hollywood high school . . . has attained a reputation as a leader of community singing. Under his direction the Hollywood community chorus has become the most popular institution in Hollywood . . . [the] auditorium is packed every Tuesday evening by people who come not only to sing but to get the inspiration of Mr. Kirchofer's leadership." Marie, brother of Hugo, graduated from Manchester High School in 1886 and founded in 1886 the Alpha Sigma Literary Society in Manchester. After a long career as a teacher and principal of Manchester High School she went to Hollywood to live with her brother and to be hostess for him. She was alive in 1945.

Contributed by GSWC member, Mrs. Ragene Rowland, Cleveland Heights, Ohio

JEHIEL BAKER and WILLIAM WIGHTMAN, Washington County, Wisconsin

The following accounts relate to the settling of West Bend, Wisconsin.

"Jehiel H. Baker came from Michigan in the summer of 1846, and erected *the second frame building*, a short distance south of Weil's 'sharp corner' store. It was occupied as store and residence early the following autumn. . . . Mr. Baker was one of the commissioners appointed by the Legislature of 1848, to lay out a 'Territorial Road' from Waukesha, in Waukesha County, to West Bend. . . .

"William Wightman, of Washtenaw County, Mich., came early in the summer of 1846, and being pleased with the country, authorized James Kneeland, of Milwaukee (a half brother of Mrs. Wightman), to purchase certain property for him. Leaving Michigan the following autumn with his wife and four daughters, in a comfortable covered wagon drawn by horses, the journey was rendered pleasant by visits to relatives and friends along the route. Arriving at a shanty on Section 24, they purchased a loaf of bread of Huldah Farmer and passed on to the store and residence of their old acquaintance, Jehiel H. Baker. . . . After the erection of his [Mr. Wightman's] frame house, it was opened and kept for ten years as a hotel, and will be remembered as the West Bend House. Mr. Wightman has been prominently identified with the town and county, faithfully serving his constituents at all times when they have called him into public life. Mr. Wightman is still living in West Bend, carrying sturdily the weight of over eighty years."

From *History of Wisconsin, Also History of Washington and Ozaukee Counties*, by Consul Willshire Butterfield (Chicago, 1881), p. 392-393.

Contributed by GSWC member, Mrs. Cyndy Steward, Saline, Michigan

QUERIES

Edited by Ruth Tonn Whitaker
Please send long SASE with your query

BENEDICT
GUEGIERRE
WEED

Trowbridge Benedict b 1776 d 1854 Dundee MI m1 Sarah Weed b 1780 d 1836. Where are they bur? Trowbridge & Rachel appear in 1850 census of Saline MI. Was Rachel his second wife? Wd like to corres with others interested in this fam.
..Mrs. John Gueguierre, 64741 Apple Lane, Goshen IN 46526

BUTLER
DeCAMP

Abraham DeCamp m Abigail Butler immi to Webster Twp in 1836 from Tompkins Co NY res near N. Territorial and Webster Church Rds. Purch govt land 1843. Abraham d 1881 Abigail d 1860, both bur Webster Ch Cem. Is there any proof this fam was in MI before 1836? They are not found in early land records.
..Ava DeCamp #498, 5189 Barnes Rd., Mason MI 48854

CRUMMER
McCAFFREY
MAITLAND
MORTON

Sk info re William S. Morton d 1956 age 60y res 1531 Packard Ann Arbor, s/o William H. & Jennie M. Morton. Also William Morton b 1810 IRL res 1850 Burlington WI res 1880 Ann Arbor m Eliza McCaffrey b ca 1822 PA d/o Thomas & Margaret McCaffrey. Ch of William & Margaret: John W., physician: Eddie, printer; Maggie; Willie; Freddie. Researching for Dr. Larry Crummer of CA rel of Eliza Morton, writing genealogy of fam.
..Lois Maitland, 1025 N. Maple, Ann Arbor MI 48103

SPEER/S
SPEER/S
SPIER/S

Wd like to exch info with those interested in all occurrences of Spear/s, Speer/s, Spiers/s. Esp interested in William Henry Spear d 1911 Norvell, Jackson Co MI & William Henry's fa Steward Spear d 1856 Cleveland OH.
..Nancy G. Spears, R#1 Box 402, Culleoka TN 38451

HOUSE
ROBERTSON

Who were pars of Emma House d 10 Jan 1883 Ingham Co MI Poorhse?
..Leora Robertson, Box 680, Jackson WY 83001

KIDD
PLUMB

Who were pars of Peter John Plumb b 1833 MI? His pars b PA. 1840 MI census shows a Peter Plumb in Washt Co and John Plumb in Wayne Co. Are these Plumbs related?
..Elise P. Kidd, 4800 Red River, Austin TX 78751

SMITH
WALL

Does anyone have info re Dr. Boles/Bowles Smith grad UM Med School 1872? Believed to have practiced in Ann Arbor most of his career. Civil War vet. A dau was a physician in Chicago. No record in Ann Arbor City Directories.
..Henry L. Wall MD, 612 N 13th St, Suite D, Artesia NM 88210

ALLEN;DOYLE
BARLOW
EVERETT
FLEMING
GARRISON
McMATH
ROBERTS

Int in all occurrences and all spell variations of Shuart fam esp Elisha Shuart b 1783 Plattekill NY s/o Johannis & Rachel (Garrison) Shuardt. Elisha d 1865 presumably in Van Buren Twp Wayne Co MI m Julia Everett b 1790 where? d 1852. Oldest son John Warner Shuart b 1807 Plattekill NY d 1868 Dixboro MI m 1831 Mendon NY Laura/Louisa Townsend b 1809 Windham CT d 1893 Dixboro MI. Other ch of Elisha & Julia were: Daniel b 1812 Mendon NY d

SHUART/RDT
SINCLAIR
SMITH
TOWNSEND
WOODEN

1901 Belleville MI m 1840 Van Buren Twp Nancy Wooden b 1819, 3 sons; George b 1821 ?Mendon NY d 1894 Belleville m1 1843 Harriet Smith Allen, m2 Seth Townsend; Jane m Charles Fleming; Maria m James A. Sinclair; Betsy Ann m Dr. Roberts; Rachael m ... Barlow. Wd like to exch info with any descendants of these fams.
..Jeffrey R. Shuart, 1708 Leslie Lane, Ponca City OK 74604

DUNCAN
LANE
NICHOLS

Who were pars of Hannah Mary Duncan b 1844 Unadilla Livingston Co MI d 1907 ND m 1865/66 at Unadilla George M. Lane b 1843 Watkins Glen NY? Wd like to corres with anyone interested in these fams.
..Kathryn E. Nichols #479, 340 So. Ada, Fallon NY 89406

BOETTGER
GAUSS
JEDELE
LINDEN-
SCHMIDT
RAPAPORT

Need pars and death dt of Angela Lindenschmidt res Freedom Twp Washt Co m 1864 Valentine Conrad Boettger who m1 1854 Elizabeth Lindenschmidt, Angela's sister. Wits to 1854 mar were George and Henry Lindenschmidt. Valentine & Angela's ch were: Mary, George, John, Henry, Valentine "Philo", Minnie, Frederik and Lydia.
Who were pars of Christina R. Jedele b 1816 d 1888 m bef 1853 Johann Martin Gauss ch Louise, Barbara, Mary, Minnie, Joseph, Fred and Dora?
..Roger A. Rapaport #473, Rapaport Bldg., 421 Seymour Ave., Lansing MI 48933

FAGEN
MONAGHAN
SCHUCH

Wd like more info re Rosee Anne Fagen b 1822 IRL d 1871 Ypsilanti MI m James Monaghan b 1819 IRL d 1884 Ypsilanti. Who were her pars? Where did they res?
..Jeanette Monaghan Schuch #441, 1976 Bloomfield, Okemos MI 48864

AMSBURY
GILLETT
GRISWOLD
MANROW
WATSON

Deborah Watson b ca 1775 res CT, NY, MI m ca 1790 Joseph Gillett b 1770 Salisbury Litchfield Co CT s/o Jacob & Deborah (Manrow) Gillett. Was Deborah d/o William & Deborah (Griswold) Watson? Wd like to exch Watson and Gillett data.
..Doris M. Amsbury #191, 320 Jones St., Mt. Clemens MI 48043

AVERY
JOHNSON
KNIGHT
PHELPS

Wd like to exch info re Knight fam of Ann Arbor, esp Johnson Wells Knight. His father Elijah Knight b 1798 Augusta NY d 1888 Grand Rapids MI m1 1817 Erie Co NY Electa Johnson m2 Emily Elizabeth (Phelps) Knight, his s-i-l. Bio of Johnson Wells Knight appears in *Portrait and Biographical Album of Washtenaw Co.*
..Donald P. Avery, 510 Prince St., Alexandria VA 22314

BABLE
OBERSPECK

John Bable b 1811 OH or PA (which? records vary) res OH m 1837 Catherine Oberspeck of E. Palestine OH. They had six sons: Matthew, Martin, Joseph, John, James and Del. Wd like to contact and exch with others interested in this fam.
..Doris M. Bable #470, 323 N. Lewis, Saline MI 48176

BALLARD
BROWN
NORTHRUP
SANFORD

Sk ancs/descs of George Northrop res Washt Co 1870s h/o Susan E. Brown b 1851 Washt Co d/o Hiram Brown and his second wife, Fanny P. Sanford. Browns and Sanfords res Saline, Lodi, and York Twps.
..Mary B. Ballard #8, 411 Loella Ave., Wayne PA 19087

BROU;DRYNESS
DUPRIES
DUPUIS
FARWELL
PERCY;RELL

Margaret Dupuis b 1824 CND d 1924 Manistique MI m1 ... Rell; m2 1861 at Monroe MI? Louis Percy; m3 1891 Monroe MI John A. Farwell. Pars Anton Dryness & Agnes Brou arr Detroit/Monroe Co ca 1830. Was Margaret b Lapraire, Quebec, CND? Will corres and exch info.
..Joseph H. Dupries #399, 6107 S. Mohawk, Ypsilanti MI 48197

FITZGERALD
FLYNN

Robert Fitzgerald res Bridgewater Twp Washt Co 1870s. When did he die and where bur?
..Ruth B. Flynn #255, 1305 W. 9 Mile, Apt. 2, Ferndale MI 48220

GOODHALL
PLATT
SMITH

Isaac & Phoebe (Platt) Smith res Scio Twp 1835. Isaac d 1840, bur old Scio Cem. Phoebe bur Lockport NY Cem. Three ch were Daniel, Nehemiah P., and Earl Sidney. Wd like to corres with others interested in this fam.
..Betty J. Goodhall #410, 1657 Gloria, Westland MI 48185-4924

ALLMENDINGER
GAERTNER/
GARTNER
WIDMAYER

Gottlieb Gartner b 1822 Ludwigsburg GER d 1878 Erie PA m 1848 GER Rosina Katherina Widmayer immi to Ann Arbor 1867 via Hamburg. Gottlieb was an organ builder and founded what later became the Allmendinger Organ Factory with his s-i-l, David Friederich Allmendinger. Gottlieb had at least four sisters and one bro who may have immi to to AA; Catherina Friedricka b 1820; Christoph b 1823; Rosina b 1825; Eva Marie b 1826; Pauline b 1829. Were they in MI, did they marry, when and where did they die? Wd like to corres and exch info concerning any history of the Allmendingers and Gartners.
..Donald L. Gaertner #422, Draw R., P-5758, Huntington PA 16652

DUNBAR;GROSS
KELLEY
PLUMLEY
POWERS;SOULE
STILES/
STYLES

Mary Myrtle Kelley b 1833 OH d 1872 bur Ferris Cem, Montcalm Co MI m Benjamin Franklin Stiles/Styles b 1830 Columbiana Co OH d 1913 Stanton, Montcalm Co MI. Civil War vet. Wd like any info on the Kelley fam, and will share my data on Stiles; also Dunbar, Soule, and Powers fams of Bridgewater MA, and Plumleys of Braintree MA. Will share Croydon NH info.
..Bee Crockford Gross #388, 1840 Peyton Ave., Ypsilanti MI 48197

HAYDEN
JOHNSON

Luke Johnson res Ypsilanti and Augusta Twps 1830s. Who was his wife? When did Luke die? Dau Polly m 31 May 1835 Moses Hayden. When did she die?
..Wallace Hayden #393, 2523 First - Sidebox, Wyandotte MI 48192

COOK
HERZBERG
SPEECHLY

Cornelius Cook m Susan Speechly after 1886 in Washt Co. Speechly fam to Washt Co 1839. 1894 census index shows "Converse G." Cook and Susan Cook on p 130 Ann Arbor City, no children listed. Wd like any info on this fam.
..James M. Herzberg #409, 5663 Bernath Court, Toledo OH 43615

BREWER
BRINK
CHURCH
KUNTZ

Elias Brewer b 1781 d 1870 m Charity Brink b 1780 d 1849 both bur Free Ch Cem Superior Twp Washt Co. They had 2 sons: William b 1815 d 1894 Niles MI; John b 1800 d 1870 m Susan Church. Wd like to exch info on this fam.
..Joan Kuntz, 1860 Bakertown Rd., Buchanan MI 49107